

REQUIRED INSURANCE INFORMATION FOR J-1 VISAS

Here are the minimum insurance requirements as outlined in Title 22 Part 62, Section 14 of the Code of Federal Regulations (22 CFR 62.14):

Medical benefits of at least \$50,000 per accident or illness; \$7,500 for repatriation of remains; expenses associated with medical evacuation to your home country in the amount of \$10,000; and a deductible that does not exceed \$500 per accident or illness.

As promised, here are links for four companies. The first two are used by the Foreign Agricultural Service and the second two by the Forest Service's International Programs:

<http://www.nriol.net/>

<http://www.travelinsure.com/what/vusahigh.htm>

<http://www.culturalinsurance.com/>

<http://www.hthworldwide.com/>

The insurance must be good through the last date listed the DS-2019 (Certificate for Exchange Eligibility). Should the lab desire to extend the foreign national, the insurance coverage would also need to be extended.